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Title CONTROL APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR VEHICULAR AUTOMATIC
TRANSMISSION**APPLICATION ELEMENTS**

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents

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ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

7. Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))

8. Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76

9. 37 C.F.R. §3.73(b) Statement (when there is an assignee) Power of Attorney

10. English Translation Document (if applicable) Copies of IDS Citations (2)

11. Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449

12. Preliminary Amendment

13. White Advance Serial No. Postcard

14. Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) (1)
(if foreign priority is claimed)

15. Applicant claims small entity status.
See 37 CFR 1.27

16. Nonpublication Request under 35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(B)(i). Applicant must attach form PTO/SB/35 or its equivalent.

17. Other: Request for Priority, Statement of Relevancy

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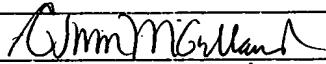
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